

THE BEST GROCERY  
Extends wishes for a Happy New Year.  
When you are hungry, come to see me.  
GUY B. SHACKLEFORD.

# THE CLARKE COURIER

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## Gumption on the Farm.

Do not try the patience of the good wife by giving her green wood to burn.

Many a man wears himself out trying to keep up with his good intentions.

The funniest thing about a big man is that he is apt to have a little wife.

Whitewash your barn, but never undertake to whitewash a crooked politician.

You are better than you seem; better than you believe yourself to be. So don't give way to discouragement.

There are more people dying for the lack of a kind word, a pat on the back and a little encouragement, than there are from disease.

Hot water on the grindstone will spoil it after a little so that it will have no grit. Use warm water, not hot, for taking the frost out of your stone.

What a lot of strength there is wasted chopping with dull axes! Spend a few minutes at the grindstone and see how nicely the world will go after that.

Some folks make themselves so lame kicking about things, that they tire themselves all out and never make anything out of life. It doesn't pay.

The boys and girls get enough hard knocks out in the world without your being stern and harsh with them. Let your home be to them a shelter and a refuge from the storms of the world.

Gets pretty slippery around the house and barn sometimes. Get a barrel of sand, coal ashes, or sawdust, and when such days come, scatter some on the icy spots. Easier to save bones than it is to mend them.

"Who pays the taxes?" asks Wallace's Farmer. So far as we have been able to discover pretty nearly everybody pays. The tax collector is as relentless as death, and few are able to sidestep him.

It helps the wagon maker to let the mud freeze to the wheels when you come in from a trip. You don't need to do it, though by taking a little pains you can get most of the mud off while it is soft, and save the wagon many years longer.

Do not track mud into the house. Provide a scraper and mat outside the door, and do not forget to use them before going into the house. Scrubbing floors and sweeping carpets are not easy tasks, and the thoughtful man will not add to his wife's burdens.

The horse blankets get torn sometimes. Some blustery day, take a stout needle and thread and sew what a good job you can do mending the rents. It is a good thing for the men folks to do such little jobs as this, and not call on women so much. They have their own work to do every day.

If you are thinking of moving, better look around first to see if the time, energy and money you would spend seeking a new location would not, if wisely spent about the old place, result in an increase of profit and comfort that would justify you in staying with the old home. Better do that than be sorry.

To keep plows from rusting: To three pounds of tallow mix one pound of white lead. Melt the tallow in an old iron pot; stir in the white lead. When using, heat the mixture and apply it with an old paint brush. In the spring just put the plow in the ground. This will clean the moldboard as bright in a few yards as it was before. The same applies to any farm tool used for cultivation.

The rude, vulgar and often malicious pictures put forth in the guise of wit and caricature through the daily and Sunday press, are destroying the artistic sense, if not the kindly instincts, of a whole generation of people, who are growing to maturity looking upon them as one of the ordinary incidents of life. Carry the abominable things out of the house with the tongs, for the sake of the children.—January Farm Journal.

The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by all Dealers.

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All Grades, Sizes and Kinds. Leave your orders now for immediate delivery and save money. BERRYVILLE ICE CO., W. T. LEWIS, Mgr.

## Week of Prayer

One of the most interesting series of Union Services ever held here will be held in the local churches next week, beginning with Sunday night, January 1, and extending through Sunday night, January 8.

The week is known throughout all the Christian denominations as the Week of Prayer, and meetings will be held all over the United States.

The following program has been announced:

Sunday, January 1, 7.30 p. m., at Methodist Church. Sermon by Rev. S. K. Phillips.

Monday, January 2, 7.30 p. m., at Presbyterian Church. Sermon by Rev. Julian Broadbent, D. D.

Tuesday, January 3, 7.30 p. m., at Baptist Church. Sermon by Rev. Edward Wall.

Wednesday, January 4, 7.30 p. m., at Episcopal Church. Sermon by Rev. S. K. Phillips.

Thursday, January 5, 7.30 p. m., at Methodist Church. Sermon by Rev. Julian Broadbent, D. D.

Friday, January 6, 7.30 p. m., at Presbyterian Church. Sermon by Rev. J. T. Williams.

Saturday, January 7, 7.30 p. m., at Episcopal Church. Sermon by Rev. J. T. Williams.

The theme for the week will be an exposition of the Lord's Prayer, each minister taking a part of the Prayer for a text, until the whole has been expounded. It is earnestly hoped that the Church will be filled at each of the services, and the most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give you hundred dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

P. J. C. CURET & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

Dividend Notice.

The Board of Directors of The Boyce State Bank Incorporated have this December 6th 1910 declared the regular semi-annual dividend of three per cent (free of taxes) out of the profits of the last six months, payable January 2nd 1911, to stockholders of record December 31, 1910.

GEO. B. HARRISON, President.

Miss Dinkle Dead in Jefferson.

Miss Maria Dinkle, a member of one of the pioneer families of Jefferson county, W. Va., died at her home in Winchester last Wednesday evening, after a lingering illness from paralysis, at an advanced age.

Miss Dinkle was born and reared in Jefferson county, having lived in Winchester, for the past 10 or 12 years.

She is survived by three sisters and one brother, and a large number of family connections, among whom is a niece, Mrs. O. J. Hardesty, of Clarke County.

The funeral was held from Grace Church, Winchester, on Friday and interment was made in Mount Hebron Cemetery.

Marvelous Discoveries

mark the wonderful progress of the age. Air flights on heavy machines, telegrams without wires, terrible war inventions to kill men, and the wonder of wonders, Dr. King's New Discovery—to save life when threatened by coughs, colds, influenza, asthma, croup, bronchitis, hemorrhages, hay fever and whooping cough or lung trouble. For all bronchial affections it has no equal. It relieves instantly. Its sure cure. James M. Black of Asheville, N. C., R. R. No. 4, writes it cured him of an obstinate cough after all other remedies failed, 50c and \$1.00. A trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The Boyce State Bank Incorporated at Boyce, Va., will be held in the Banking House of said Bank on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M.

GEO. B. HARRISON, President.

Rooms for Rent.

Three very desirable rooms, with bath. Well located. Terms reasonable. Apply to COURIER.

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## Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the J. E. B. Stuart Camp of Confederate Veterans of Berryville, held at its usual place of meeting, on the 15th day of November, 1910, the Camp desiring to put on its minutes a memorial of Comrade Jos. T. Griffith:

Capt. Jos. T. Griffith was born in the Town of Alexandria, Va., and grew to manhood in Montgomery county, Maryland. A short time prior to the war between the States, he with his young wife and family, moved to Duffields, on the B. & O. R. R., in Jefferson county, Va., where he engaged in the mercantile business. When the call to arms was sounded he was among the first to volunteer in defense of liberty and right. He promptly enlisted in the Duffield Rifles, Co. H, 2nd Regiment Va. Vol. Infantry.

After serving for sometime with his regiment he was detailed for special services in Quartermaster Department of the Confederate States army, in connection with the army under Gen. Jos. E. Johnston. Later he was ordered to the army of the Tennessee and promoted to a captain in the Quartermaster and Transportation service of that army, serving faithfully and meritoriously until the surrender of Gen. Johnston in April, 1865. After four years of arduous and honorable service he resumed his duties as a citizen, settling in Berryville, where for a number of years he carried on a large business as a merchant and dealer in grain. Upon his retirement from this business he was elected Commissioner of the Revenue for the County, holding the office for many years to the satisfaction of the people, as evidenced by their re-electing him as often as he offered for the place. When a youth he united with the Baptist church near his home and after coming to Berryville, with the church here. As a member of the church he was faithful in season and out of season, liberal in his contribution to every good cause. Zealous in every good work. As a citizen he was among the foremost in everything for the public good; as a man, openhearted and liberal, ever seeking to help the poor and needy. As a Camp we shall miss him, as a fellow citizen we shall miss him. His church will miss him, and above all others the sick and needy. Those in affliction or sorrow will miss him. Resolved that the memorial be spread on the minutes of the Camp and a copy of it sent to his family.

THOS. D. GOLD, Jos. H. PRICE, A. MOORE JR.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Green Hill Cemetery Company, held at its usual place of meeting on Saturday, the 24th day of December, 1910.

It was resolved that the Board has heard with deep grief of the death of Joseph T. Griffith, a member of the Board since the organization of this Company, that it has sustained thereby the loss of an useful and faithful member and its members a kind and true friend. He loved his country, sympathized with the distressed and sorrowful, poured out bountifully of his means to the needy, was considerate and gentle in his dealings with all men and exemplified in his life the teachings of him who placed the love of man second only to that of God.

Resolved that this memorial be spread upon the minutes of the Board and a copy of it sent to his family.

THOS. D. GOLD, H. W. BAKER, A. MOORE, JR.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by all Dealers.

The Boyce State Bank Inc., is a Pronounced Success: It accommodates the Public in every conceivable way; increases its Surplus, and pays Dividends to its stockholders. No bank can do more.

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## Thank You!

To those subscribers who have come forward so promptly and met their obligations, we return our deepest thanks. It really makes us feel that life is worth while when our readers seem to appreciate the paper we have been issuing.

To those few who have not yet come forward, we would say, "It is not yet too late to do good."

THE COURIER.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by all Dealers.

NOTICE.

Mr. O. M. Phillips, one of the partners in the firm of Wm. Phillips Bros., having died, the affairs of the partnership must be settled. All persons having claims against the partnership will please present them, and we must ask that all debts due the firm be settled on or before February 1, 1911.

BYRD LAW FIRM A Visitor Here.

Hon. Richard Evelyn Byrd, Speaker of the House of Delegates, author of the famous "Byrd Law," clever gentleman, good fellow, and one of the brightest lawyers in the Commonwealth, was a visitor here Monday on legal business, having been retained as one of the attorneys in the Feltner case, which will come up at the January term of Circuit Court.

Mr. Byrd is looking extremely well; in fact, we have never seen him look better, and he is the same master of the retort courteous and the quick repartee that we have always loved so well.

May his shadow never grow less!

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by all Dealers.

CULTIVATE THE SAVING HABIT.

It may change your whole life for the better and make great things possible to you.

BANK OF CLARKE COUNTY. Capital and profits \$85,000.00.

Mrs. Ricamore's Brother Dead

A telegram was received here yesterday announcing the death of Mr. William A. Wallace, which occurred in Roanoke at noon, following an extended illness.

Mr. Wallace, who was 59 years of age, was a brother of Mrs. P. M. Ricamore, of Berryville, and visited here a few weeks ago.

He is survived by his widow, two sisters, Mrs. Ricamore here and Mrs. K. N. Harper, of Washington, and one brother, Mr. Walter Wallace, of Washington.

The funeral will be held in Roanoke this afternoon, and interment will be made there.

Mr. Wallace was one of the most energetic and successful artisans in Roanoke up to a few years ago, when he was afflicted by illness, and had been unable to attend to any business since that time.

Kept the King at Home.

"For the past year we have kept the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Mathuka, of Buffalo, N. Y. Easy, but sure remedy for all Stomach, Liver, and Kidney troubles. Only 25c at all Druggists.

Wood, Wood, Wood.

Winter time is coming on. Get your wood before it's gone. D. LEMON FRIES.

Mr. Brown Builds.

Mr. D. D. Brown is building a two-story addition to his residence in town. The building, which is a frame structure, is being put up by Contractor John H. Shackelford.

Stockholder's Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Berryville Building and Loan Association will be held at the First National Bank, in Berryville, Va., on Thursday, January 26, 1911, at 11 a. m.

R. D. HARDESTY, Secretary.

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## Contest Closes Saturday

The standing of the contestants in the great free piano contest at Simpson's Department Store, at Boyce, up to Tuesday of last week was as follows:

Miss Sallie Spates	19,267
" Vivian Mende	17,471
" Anna Jolliffe	13,325
" Daisy Brewer	12,433
" Viola Smith	3,917
" Mary Garvin	2,482
" Leora Lee	1,685
" Margaret Smallwood	1,048
" Mary McKay	562
" Mary Shippe	261

After December 1, all coupons will be dated; all coupons now out, must be turned in before that date to be redeemed by us.

The big contest closes at midnight on Saturday, December 31. All coupons, whether from purchases, or clipped from the COURIER, must be turned in by midnight on December 31.

Special for New Year.

Full line of Candles of all kinds. Fancy box Candles a specialty. Best assortment of The Candles ever seen here.

Fruit of all kinds.

Toys—the latest word in everything for the children.

Oysters and Luncheon all the time.

Ice Cream for Christmas and New Year. Let us have your order early.

G. W. ESTES.

Giant Cracker Injures Boy.

Robert Brody, the young son of Mr. Charles Brody, had his hand painfully injured by the explosion of a large cracker on Saturday night on Main street. He was taken to the Bayliss House and his injury was dressed, after which he was taken home. Unless complications arise, he will not be seriously injured.

Mrs. Stuart Dies in Washington.

Mr. J. W. Carter received a message last Thursday of the death of his niece Mrs. Hattie Stuart, at her home in Washington. She had been in ill health for some time.

The remains were taken to Alexandria and interred by the side of those of her husband.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

To all of my customers.

You know this is the best grocery in town and will accept my invitation to come here for the BEST.

GUY B. SHACKLEFORD.

Kennery Farm Sold.

The well known William C. Kennery farm, near White Post, containing about 220 acres, has just been sold to Mr. Chas. E. Funkhouser, a well known farmer of the Double Toll Gate neighborhood, at a good figure.

THE ONLY WAY

Many Berryville Citizens Have Discovered It.

Just what to do when the kidneys are affected, is a question that concerns both young and old. Weak kidneys neglected in childhood lead to life-long suffering. People of advanced years, with less vitality, suffer doubly. In youth or age, languor, backache, urinary irregularity, dizziness and nervousness make life a burden.

There is one remedy that acts directly on the kidneys and cures these troubles. Doan's Kidney Pills owe their world-wide fame to the fact that they cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Follow the example of this Berryville citizen and you will be convinced that this is so.

Guy B. Shackelford, merchant, Main St., Berryville, Va., says: "I got my supply of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. C. Avis' Drug Store and they helped me so much that I am glad to recommend them. This remedy cured the backache and kidney trouble in a prompt manner."

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Church Street Restaurant

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## At the Presbyterian Church.

Christmas exercises were held by the Sunday School at the Presbyterian Church last Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The program consisted of songs, recitations and drills by the children.

The exercises at Stone's Chapel were held on Saturday night. The feature of the evening was a Christmas tree formed by the children, who were attractively costumed in green, red and white.

Both services were attended by large congregations.

The pastor, Rev. Samuel K. Phillips was presented with a handsome buggy robe by the Stone's Chapel Sunday School, and with \$25 by the Aid Society. The Berryville Congregation presented him with \$20 and the Clearbrook congregation with \$5.

At the Methodist Church.

The song and story service held at the M. E. Church, South, last Sunday evening, entitled, "The Shepherd's Story," was exceptionally well rendered. Music was furnished by the Church Choir.

The service was attended by a very large congregation.

A Christmas entertainment was given at Marvin Chapel yesterday (Tuesday) at